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JULY 2023

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Exalted Ruler's Message: It's hard to believe that it is already July. 1312 members are invited to participate in the July 4th parade forming near the Foothills on Market St. at 12 noon and kicking off at 1pm. Hope you will be able to march with us, or just come down and watch!

Our Flag Day service was a huge success. Thank you to the Oneonta American Legion for their part and for the new flags out front. 10 Legion members helped the officers of the lodge, and 25 veterans joined us for dinner. In total we served nearly 100 dinners. Thank you to the Reverend Judith Thistle for her patriotic family story. Thank you to all who attended.

A big THANK YOU to all our volunteers: the officers; the bar tenders; the kitchen help; the dinner set up crew; the bingo workers; the plant "waterers"; and outside maintenance crew; and all who have helped in any way. A special THANK YOU to all of you that attend dinners and events. You all are the reason that our lodge is open and operating.

A few reminders: If you plan on attending dinner please call as soon as possible. We need to order food the Friday prior to Wednesday dinner.

There is NO BINGO on July 3rd or the 10th.

We will start BINGO back on July 17th.

All you golfers, it's not too early to get signed up for the golf tournament on Aug. 26th.

This just in - we are starting to plan for having a New Years Eve dinner party. We have one sponsor and are looking for a few more. Stay tuned for further details.

Patrick Pidgeon, Exalted Ruler

We have been awarded a 'Spotlight Grant' from Grand Lodge. This is to support and assist Veterans. On July 18th at 3pm, we will be going to the Oxford Vet's Home to present the check. Please let me know if you can join us.

Please join us to welcome a new member and a restatement. We will vote on July 19th 2023. New membership: Charles Boecke

Restatement: Mike Perry



THANK YOU TO - The Tax Professionals of NY, Edward Jones, and Oneonta Ford LLC; for sponsoring a great night. The 'Neil Diamond Experience' was fantastic. Thanks to those who attended for your continued support.



These beautiful people (Jackie and Kevin) who volunteer for planting flowers around the flagpole. Jackie, Kevin and Flo bought the flowers and Keith and Sun bought the soil. Thank you for volunteering for Oneonta Elks Lodge 1312 for making a beautiful flowers arrangement around the flag.



Kevin is taking care of flowers every morning around the flag pole at Oneonta Elks Lodge 1312.

OFFICERS of ONEONTA LODGE 1312 for 2022-2023

Exalted Ruler Patrick Pidgeon
E. Leading Knight Michael R Donnell
E. Loyal Knight Judith Sweet

E. Lecturing Knight Mary Lou Jerminario

Esquire Thomas Cicio
Chaplain Florence B Loomis
Inner Guard John Maddalone
Tiler Ronald Keto
Secretary Sun Munson
Treasurer Charlene Donnell

Trustees

Carla Balnis 5 years
Jeri Anne Jerminario 4 years
Rick Munson 3 years
James Hulburt 2 years
Jerry French 1 years

July's BINGO sponsored by - Elks 1312 bingo workers.



April's BINGO is brought to you and sponsored by: The Tax Professionals of NY, CpB Promotions May's BINGO is brought to you and sponsored by: Edward Jones

June's BINGO is brought to you and sponsored by: Oneonta Ford

Thank you to Carla Balnis

MONDAY NIGHT BINGO SCHEDULE:

No Bingo July 3rd and 10th, Next Bingo 17th, 24th, 31st

Our Lodge has been awarded The Beacon and Spotlight Grants. These grants enable 1312 to hold a Holiday Party for children as well as help some of the families in need this coming holiday season. We need your help to make this a huge success! Please call the lodge if you are willing to help. A planning meeting will be scheduled soon. Please be looking for further details. Thanks!



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Thank you for Karen Oliver donation of variety cards.

July Birthdays

02 Robert H Holstead

05 John W Shackelton

08 Lisa Keever

09 Joseph T Pondolfino

09 David M Rees

10 Walter L Terry III

11 Francis J Angelino

15 James A Collison

15 Frederick P Delello

16 Bruce J Milavec

20 Robert A Harlem

21 Victor B Williams

22 Bruce L Sloan

24 Louis Shields

25 James Hurly

27 John A Knapp

29 Gary L Schneider

30 William E Ellis

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Scholarship: FIND enter 13820
Click on the Oneonta, NY No 1312
At the top of the menu bar clicks on the Elks
National Foundation and go to scholarship, on the left manual bar pick up what you want to apply for.

Need to book an event? Contact Judy Sweet Elks 1312 Event Coordinator 607-433-1170 / 607-287-8870

Volunteers are always needed!

If interested, Please Call/Email the Office at

607-432-1312 or elks1312@cny.twcbc.com

Please call Secretary - Sun Munson: 607-6018408

Our Phone Number
Esquire Bar-Office 607-432-1312

ESQUIRE LOUNGE HOURS

Wednesday_1:00 pm - 6:00 pm Friday 1:00 pm - 7:00 pm Saturday 10:00 am - 6:00 pm Sunday 12:00 pm - 5:00 pm

BPOE 1312 GOLF TOURNAMENT AUG. 26TH

FOR MORE INFO, PLEASE CONTACT
Rick Munson or Robert Morrissey



Wednesday Night Dinners JULY 12th

Beef Pot Roast, baked potato, veg. rolls, soup, salad, and dessert.

JULY 26th

BBQ Chicken, mashed potato, veg. rolls, soup, salad, and dessert **Volunteer need for Wednesday night dinners**

IMPORTANT Please Call for **RESERVATION** 607-432-1312 & leave a message. Take out dinners are **ONLY** available to those who preorder. You can pickup between 5:40 and 6:00 pm. Thank you.

Boosters July 2023

In Memory of:

Douglas & Carol Chesser (In Memory of Geoff Smith)

Douglas K Layman

Please attend the lodge meeting on July 19th– 6pm. Thank you.

OFFICIAL DUES NOTICE

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JULY 2023

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat 1 Esquire open at 10am – 6pm |
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| Esquire open at 12-5pm | 3 NO BINGO | 4 4 th of July Parade 1pm | 5 Esquire open at 1-6pm | 6 | 7 Esquire open at 1-7pm | 8 Esquire open at 10 am-6pm |
| 9 Esquire open at 12-5pm | 10 NO BINGO | 11 | Esquire open at 1-6pm Beef pot roast dinner | 13 | Esquire open at 1-7pm | Esquire open at 10 am-6pm |
| 16 Esquire open at 12-5pm | 17 Bingo 6:30pm | Oxford Home Presenta tion 3pm | Lodge meeting Esquire Open 1-6pm | 20 | Esquire open at 1-7pm | Esquire open at 10 am-6pm |
| Esquire open at 12-5pm | 24 Bingo 6:30 pm | 25 | 26 BBQ chicken Dinner 6pm Esquire Open 1- 6pm | 27 | Esquire open at 1-7pm | Esquire open at 10 am-6pm |
| 30 Esquire open at 12-5pm | 31 Bingo 6:30pm | | | | | |